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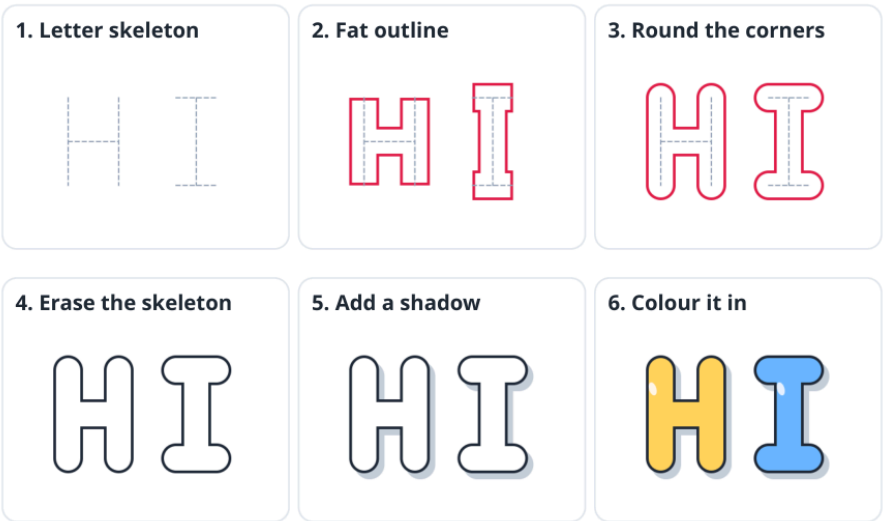

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34 step by step drawing tutorials for animals, nature, fantasy, vehicles, food and buildings. Each one builds the subject out of simple shapes, one part per step.

About this collection

Animals are the best place to start, because almost every one of them is a circle and an oval with parts added on top. Pick one and follow the red lines.

Which animal is the easiest to draw first?

The cat, the rabbit and the bird. All three are eight or nine steps, all three are built from a circle and an oval that overlap, and none of them has a long unbroken line that has to be right first time. Start with one of those before the horse, which is the one that punishes a rushed start.

Why does every animal start with a circle and an oval?

Because the two guide shapes settle the two things beginners get wrong: how big the animal is on the page, and how the head relates to the body. A rabbit head is nearly as big as its body. A horse head is small and sits far away. Get that gap right and the animal is already recognisable before you draw a single feature.

How long does an animal tutorial take?

Ten to twelve minutes, unhurried, and every one of them is rated easy for ages 4 to 10. Each tutorial also has a free printable step sheet, so a child can finish it away from the screen.

How to print

Print the whole book or just the page you need. Single sided keeps the reverse clean for a second pass, and cardstock is worth it if you are using markers. There are no watermarks and no sign-up on any page.

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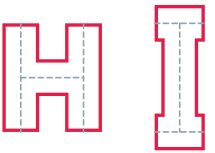
How to draw bubble letters

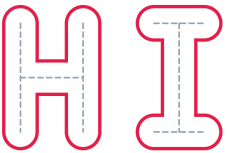
Build the H and I in six steps: skeleton, fat outline, round the corners, erase, shadow, colour.

1. Letter skeleton

2. Fat outline



3. Round the corners



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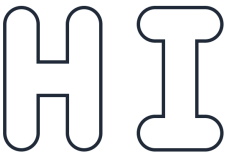

5. Add a shadow

6. Colour it in

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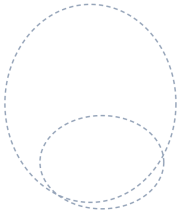

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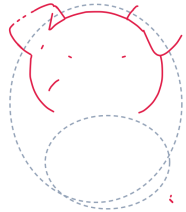

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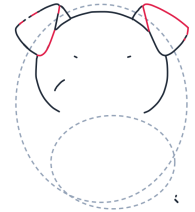

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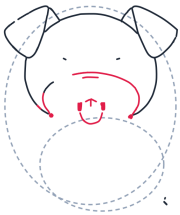

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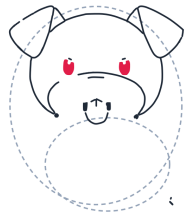

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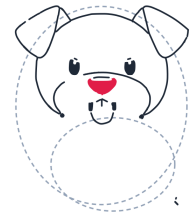

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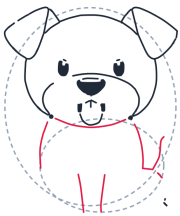

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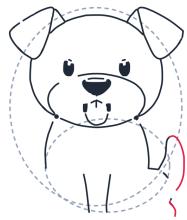

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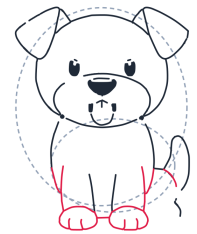

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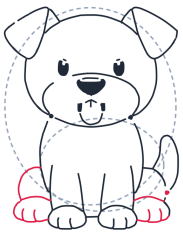

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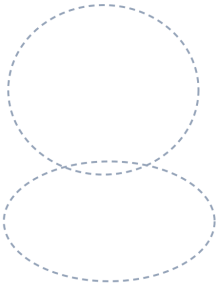

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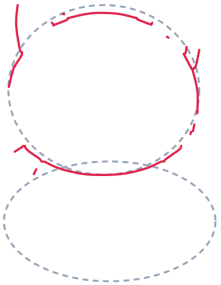

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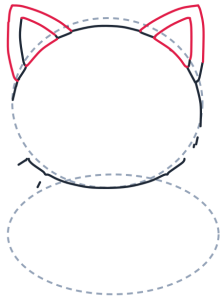

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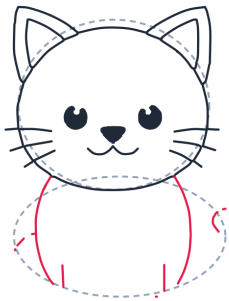

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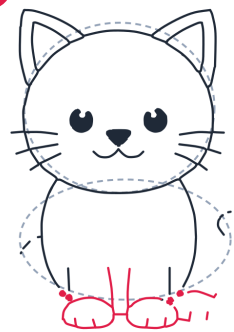

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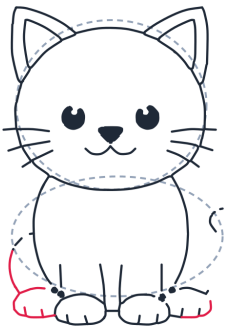

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How to draw a cute cartoon horse standing

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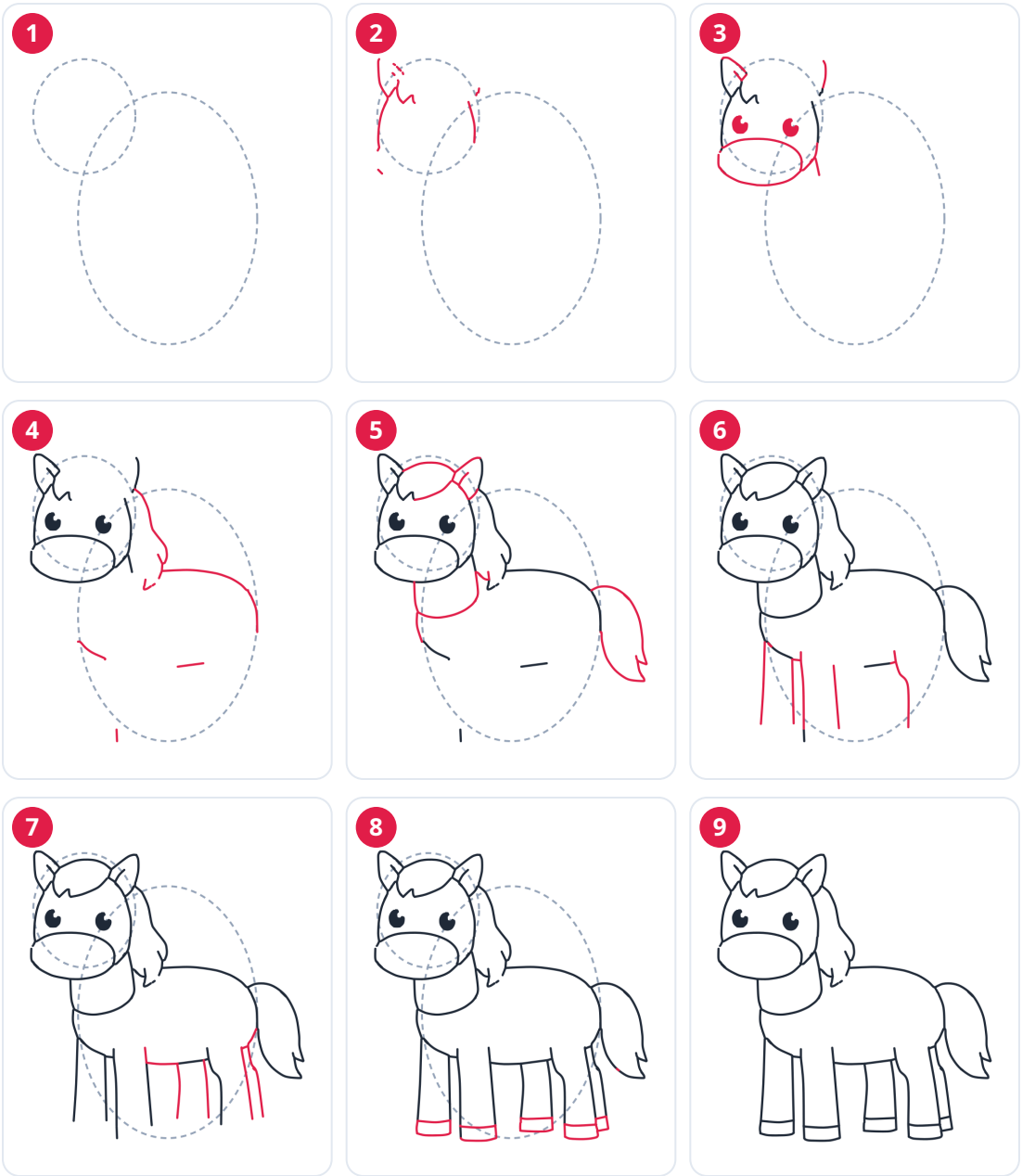

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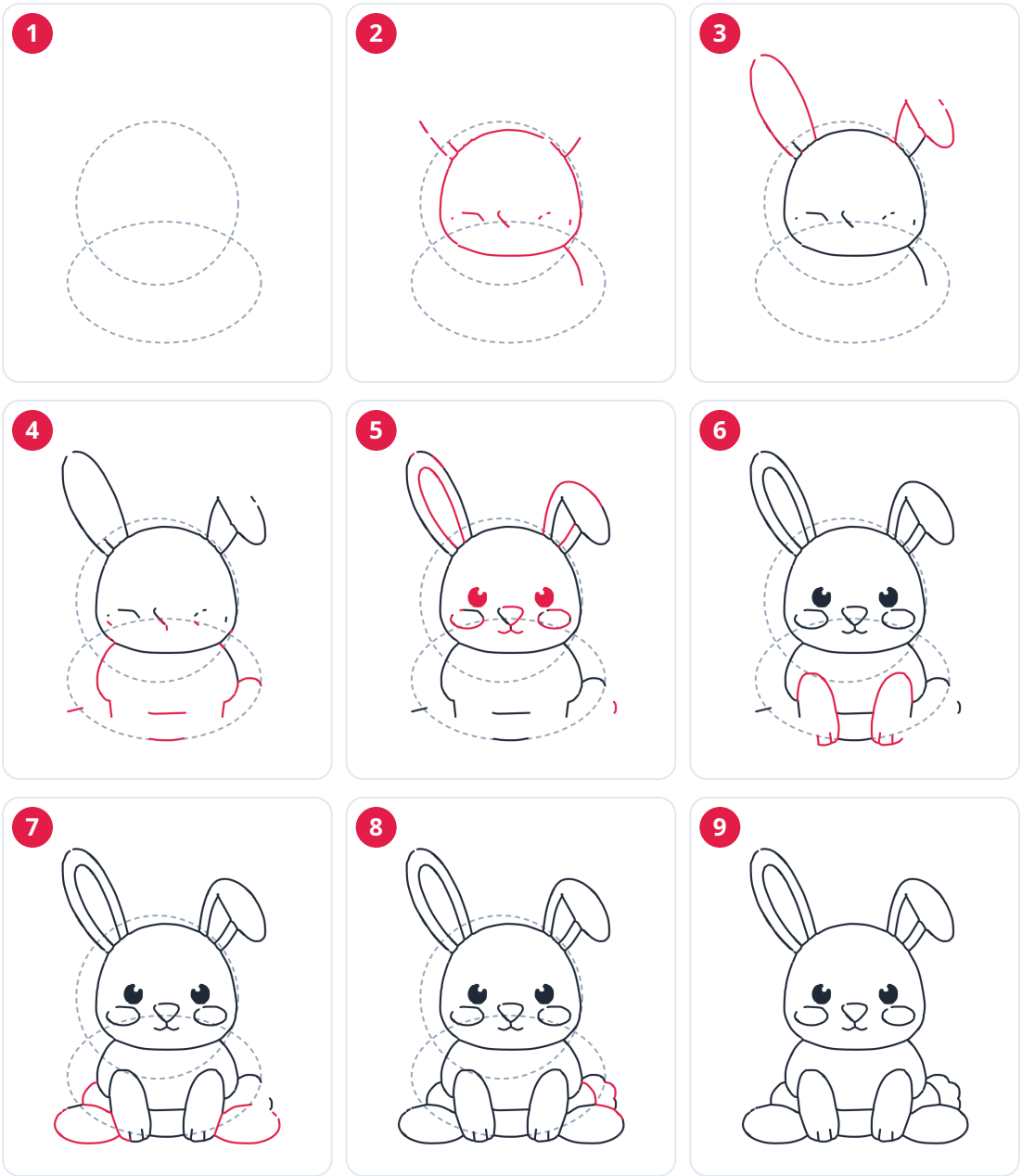

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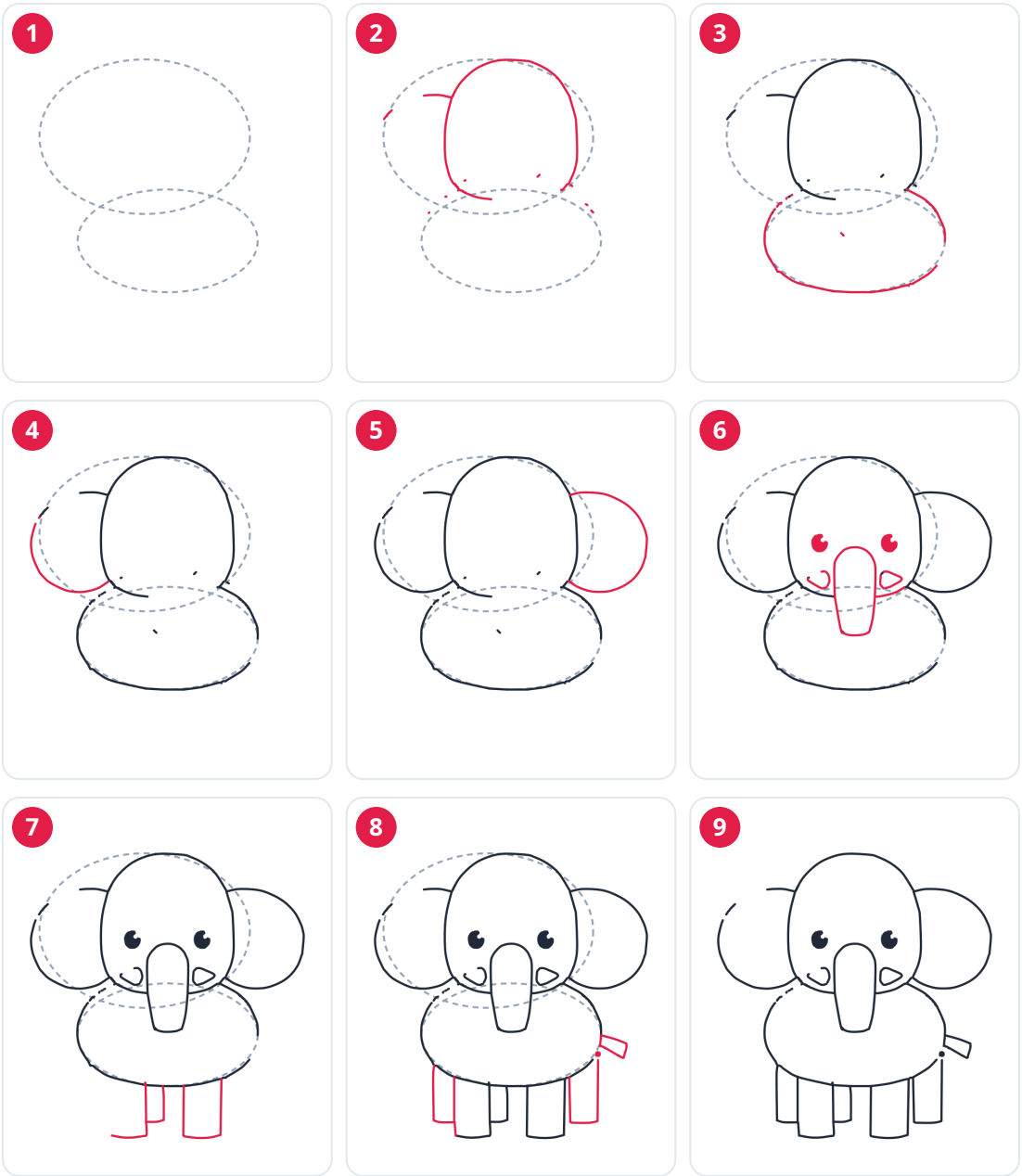

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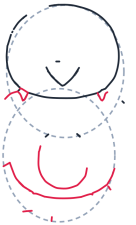

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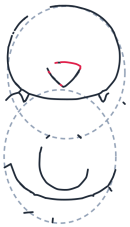

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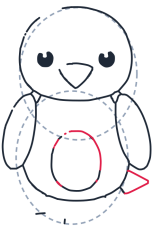

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How to draw a cute cartoon shark swimming, side vie

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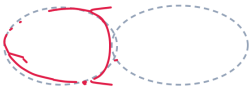

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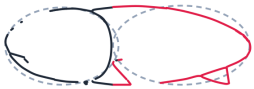

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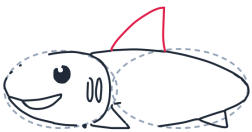

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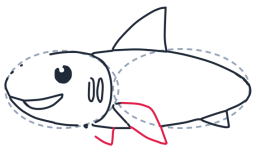

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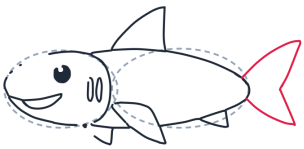

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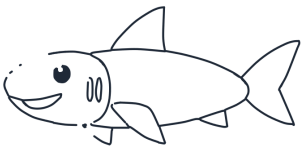

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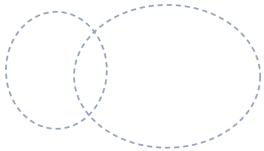

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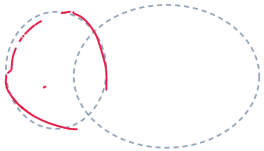

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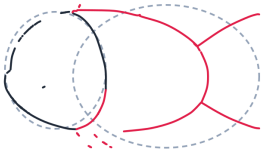

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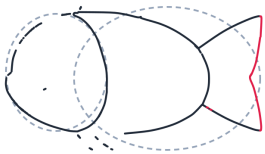

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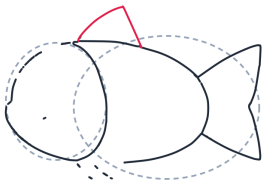

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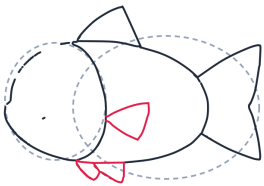

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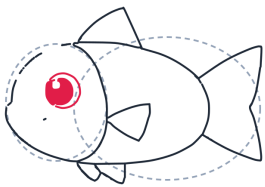

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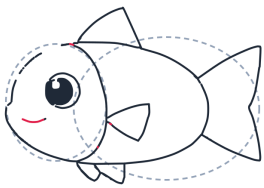

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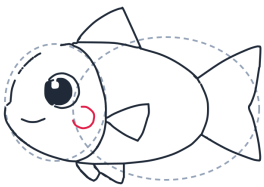

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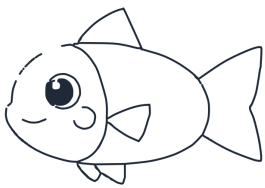

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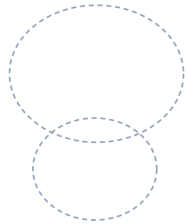

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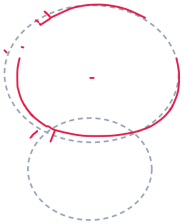

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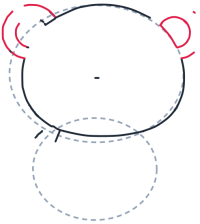

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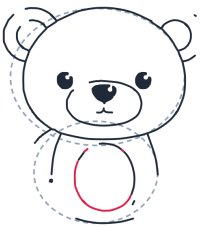

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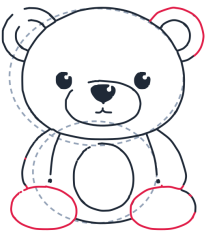

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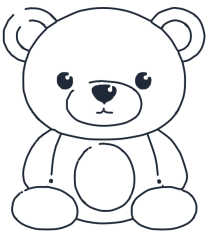

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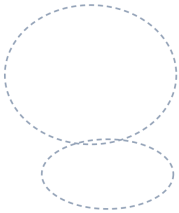

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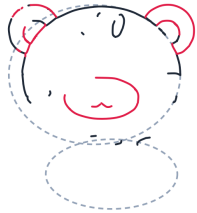

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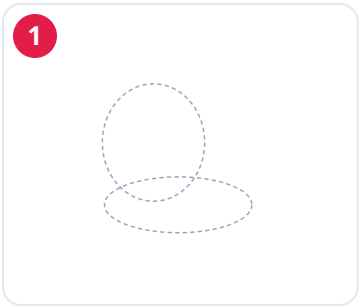

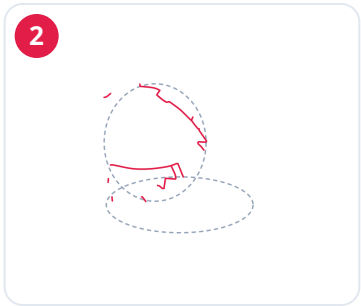

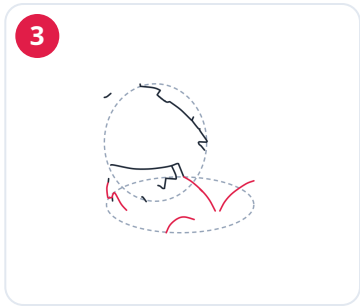

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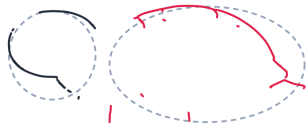

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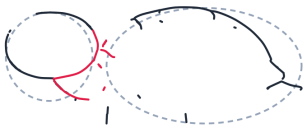

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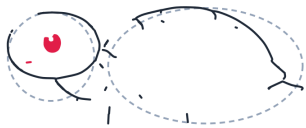

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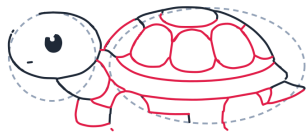

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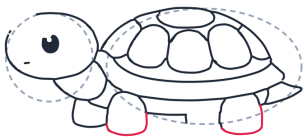

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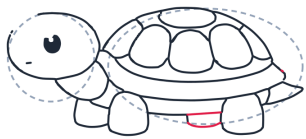

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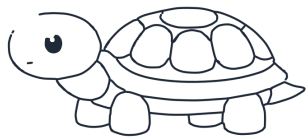

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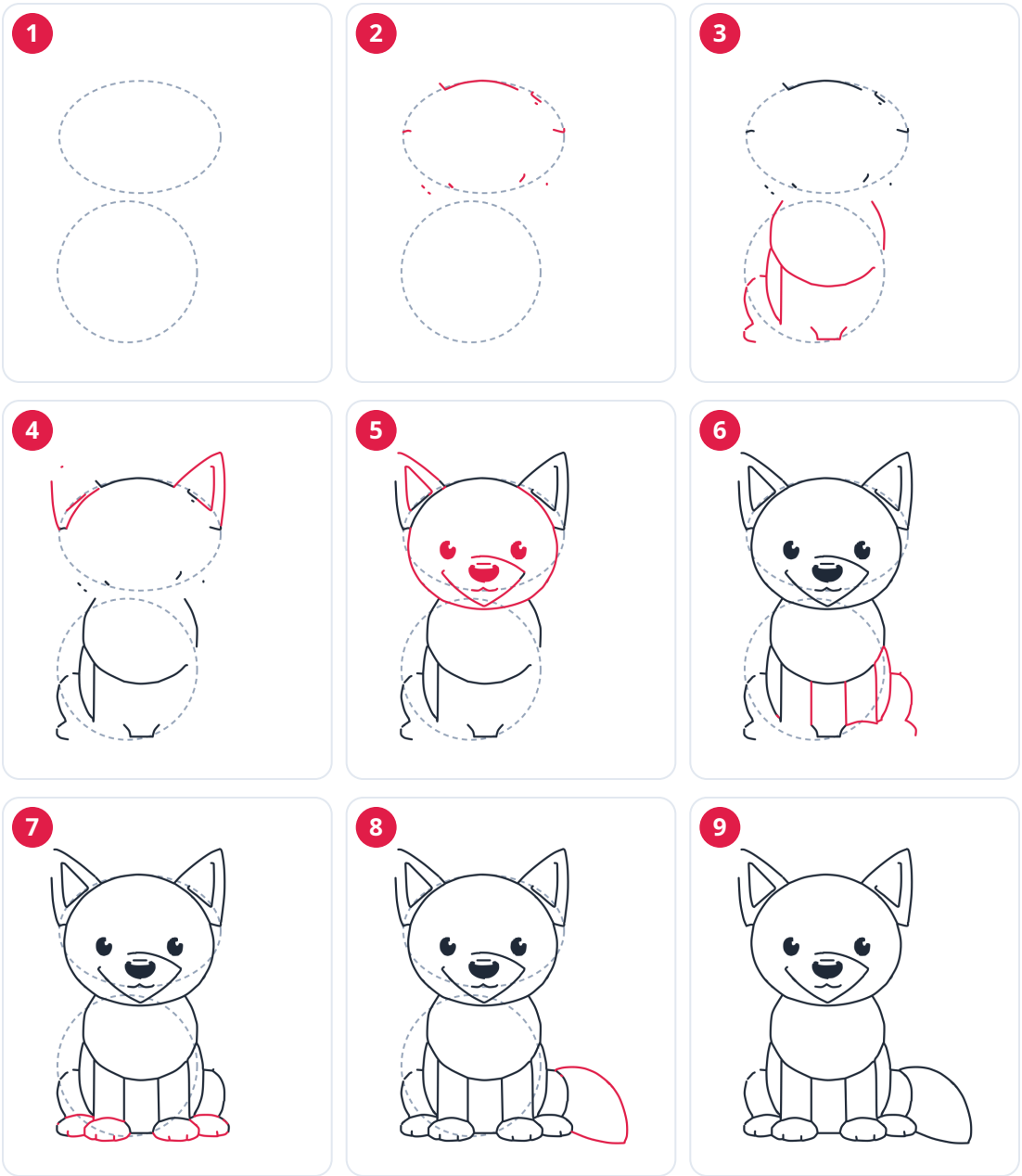

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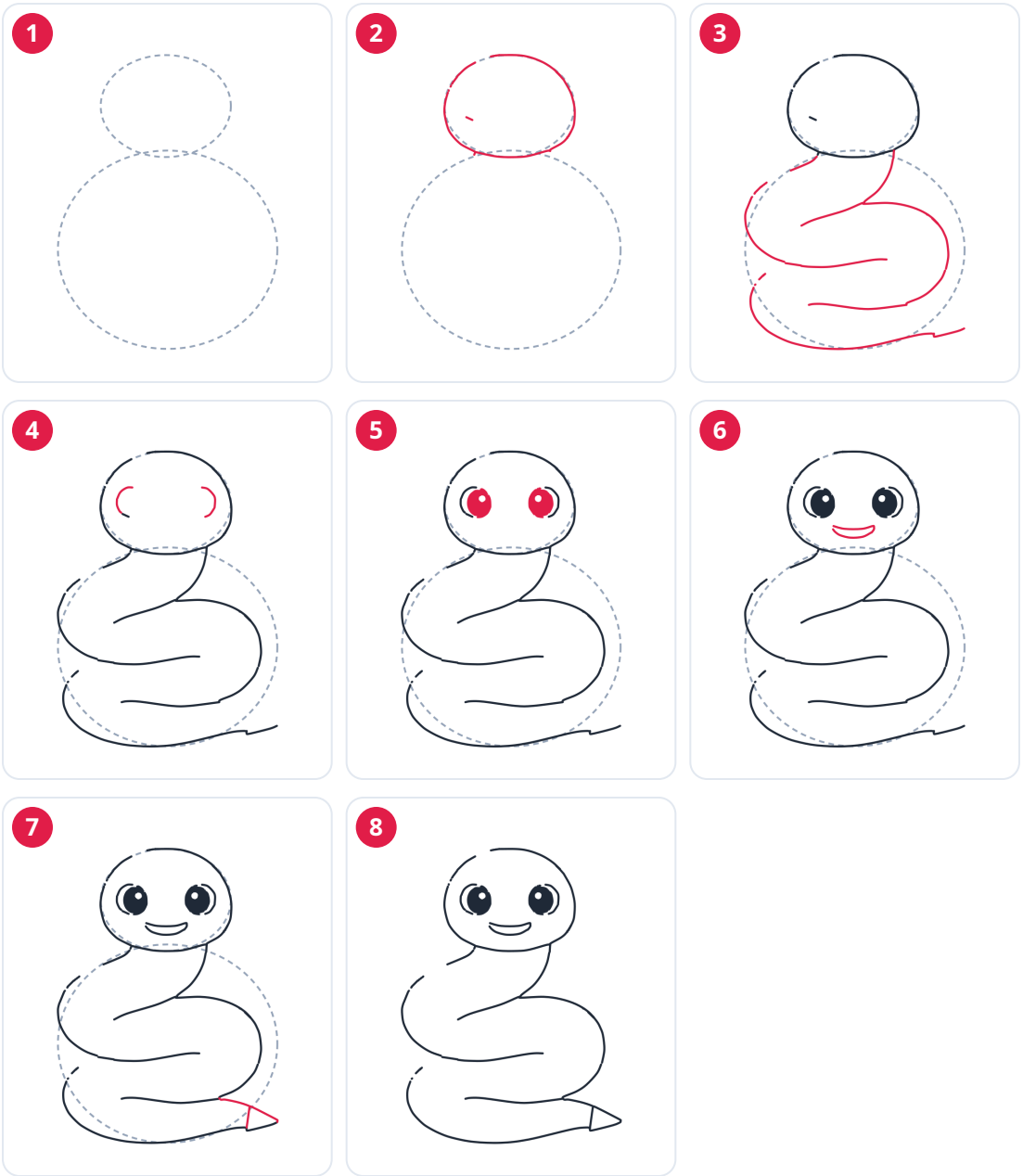

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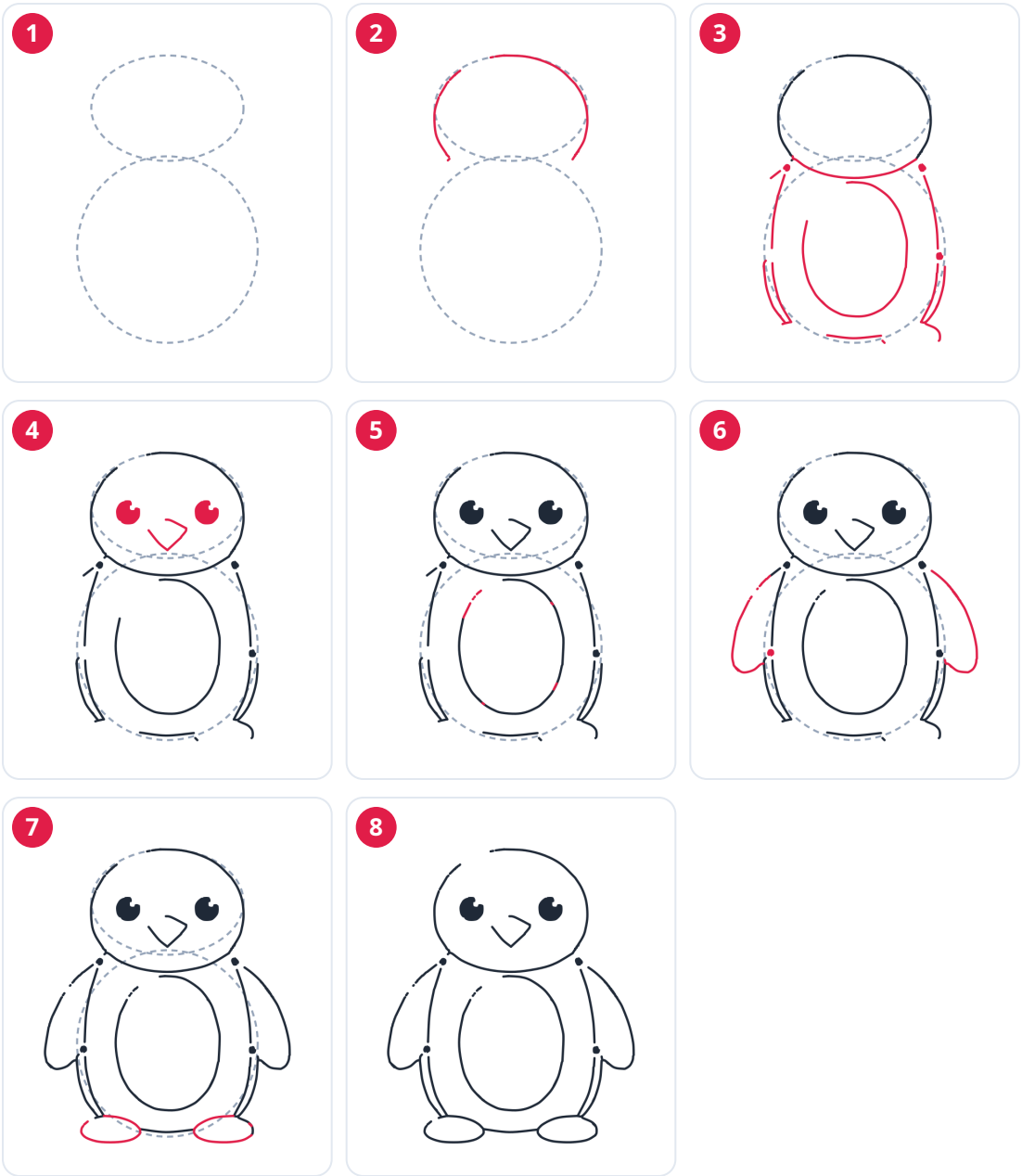

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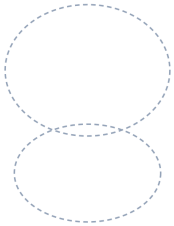

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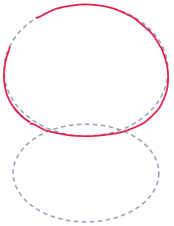

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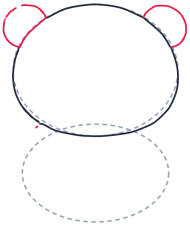

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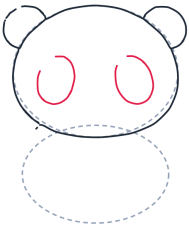

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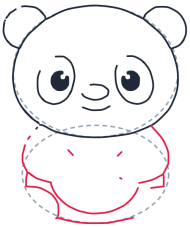

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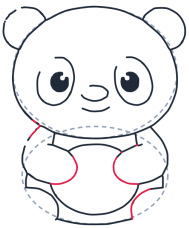

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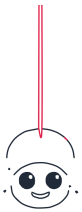

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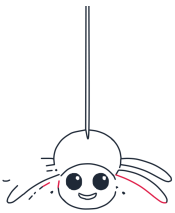

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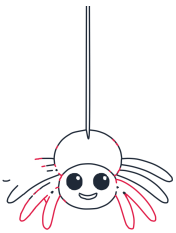

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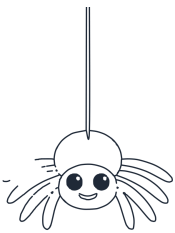

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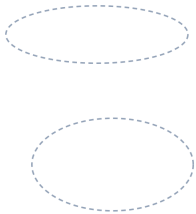

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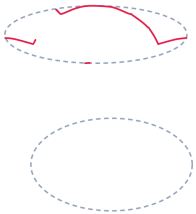

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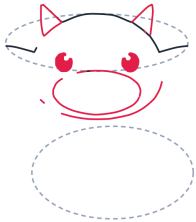

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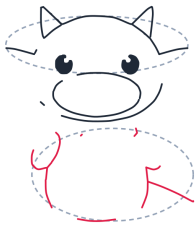

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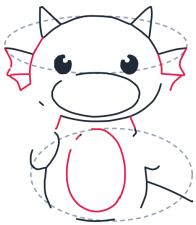

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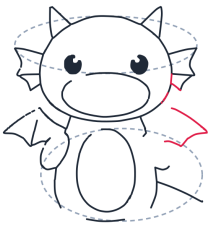

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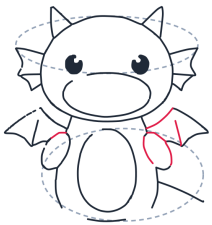

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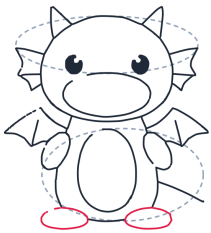

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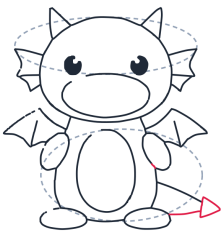

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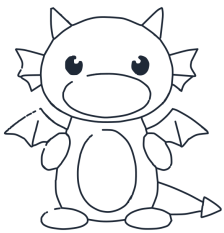

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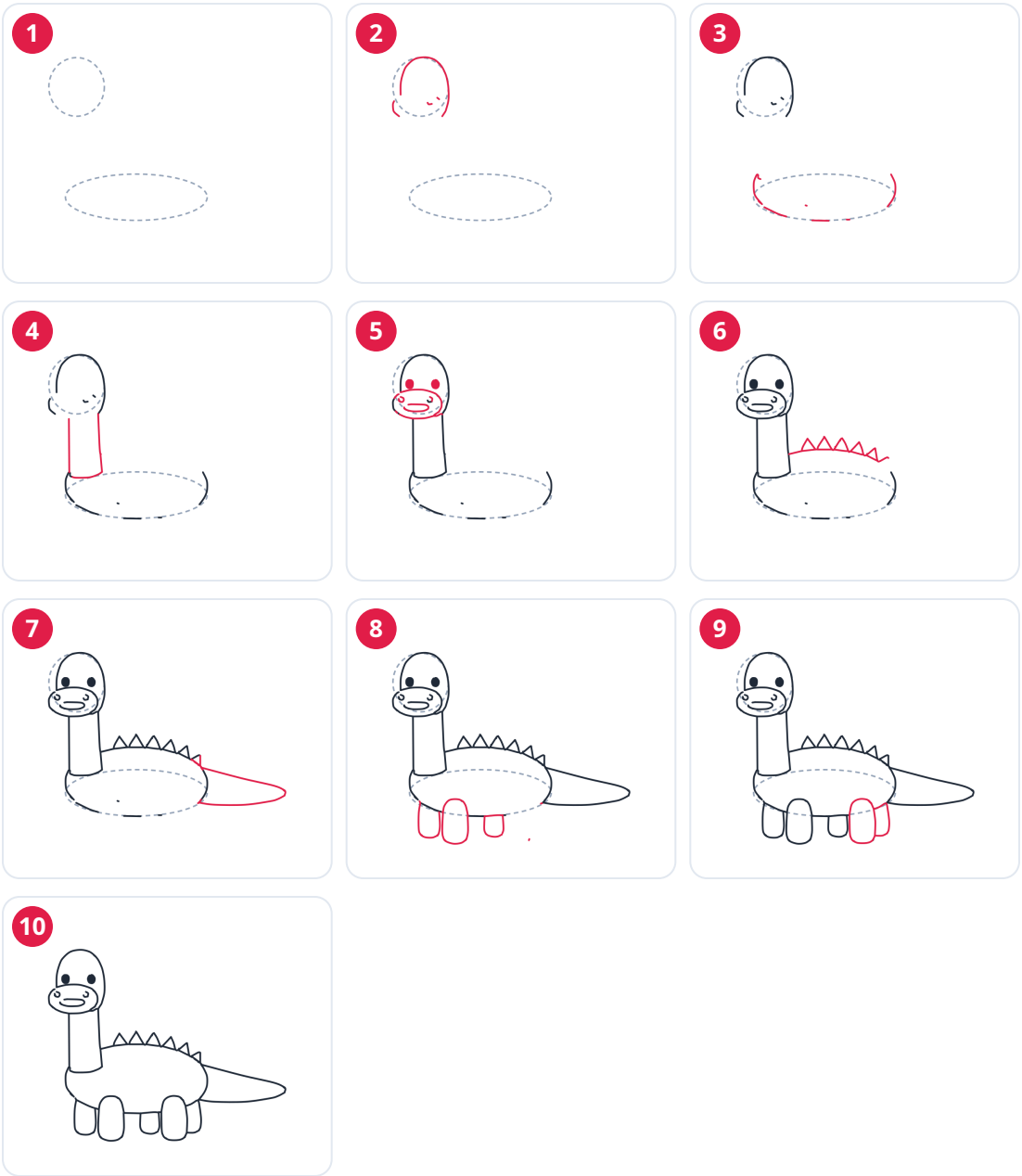

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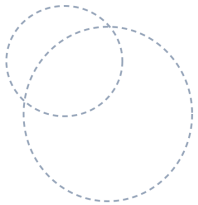

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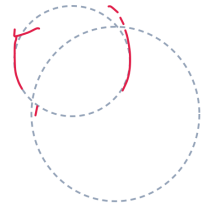

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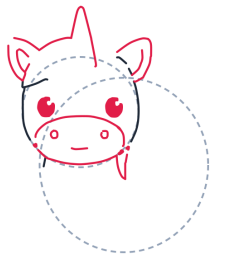

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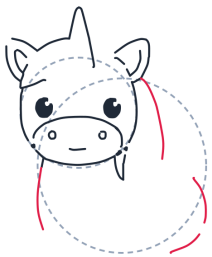

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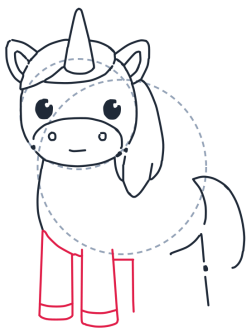

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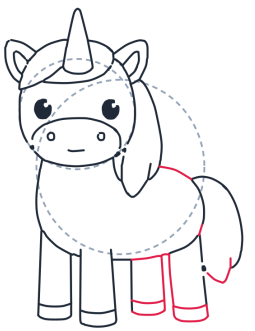

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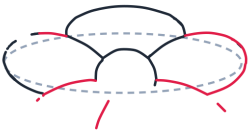

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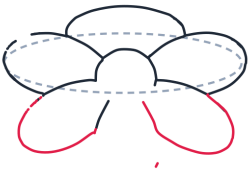

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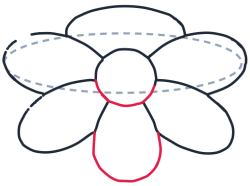

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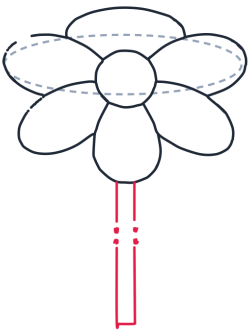

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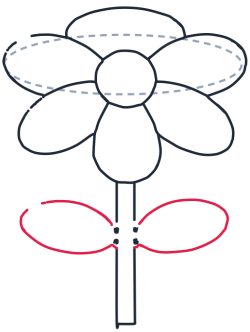

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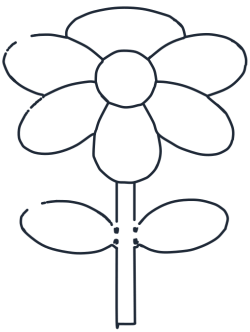

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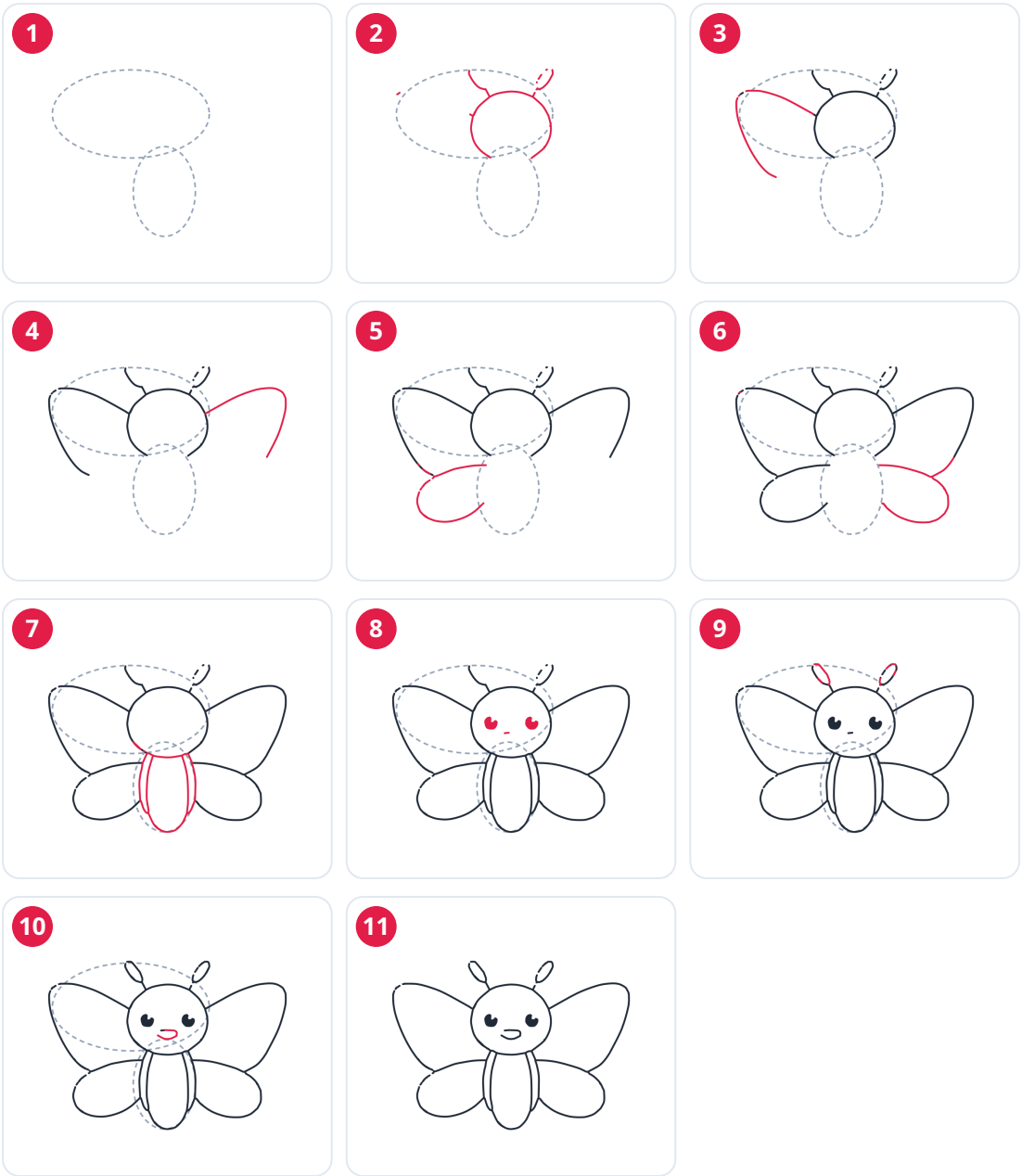

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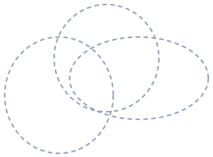

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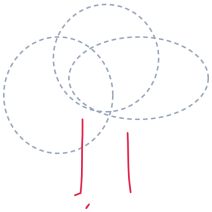

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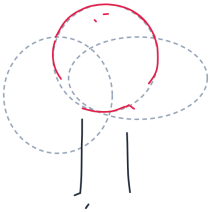

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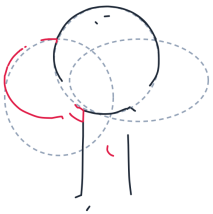

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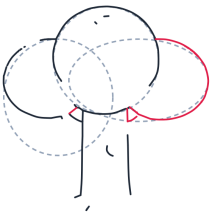

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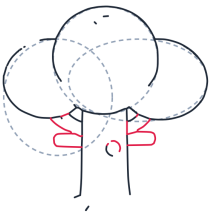

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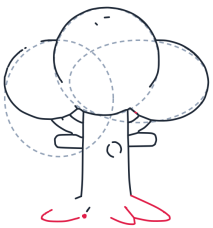

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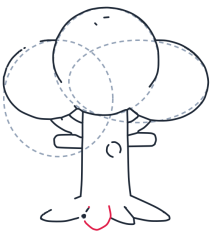

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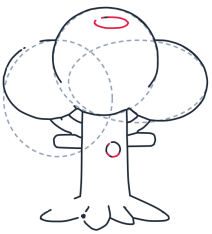

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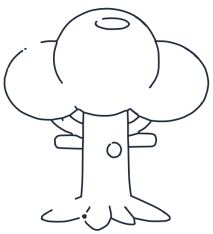

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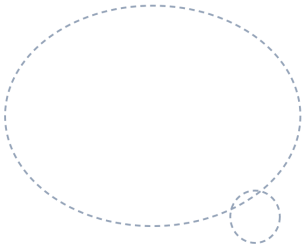

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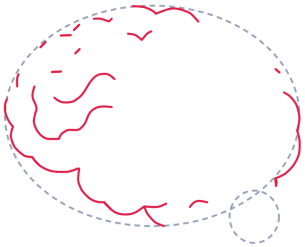

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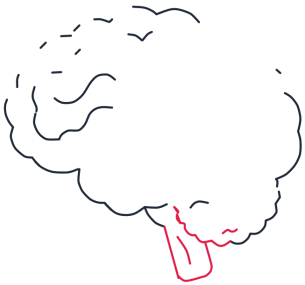

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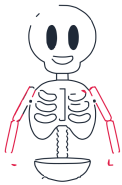

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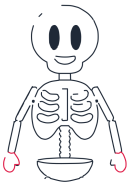

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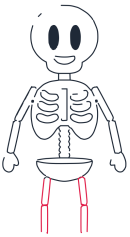

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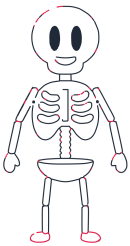

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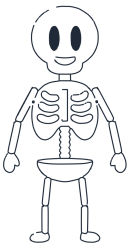

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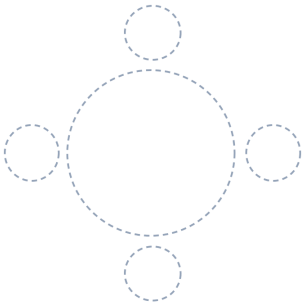

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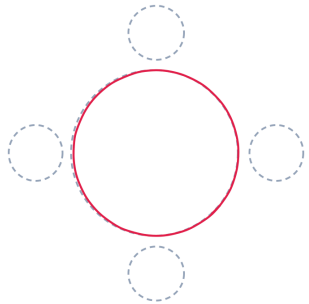

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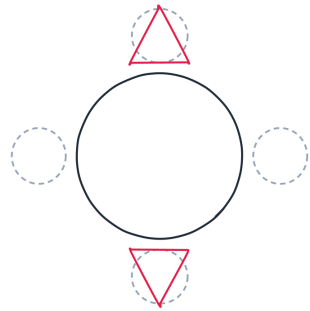

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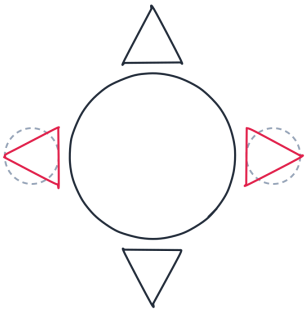

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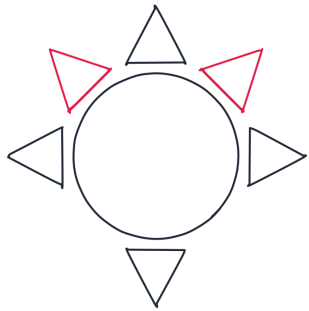

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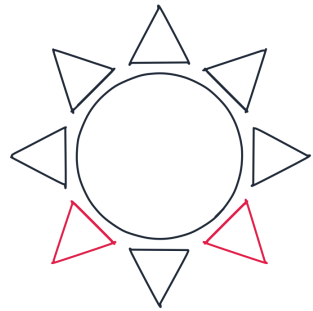

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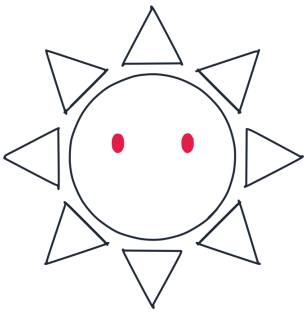

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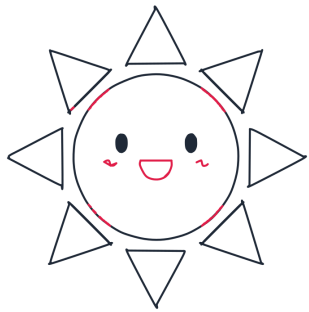

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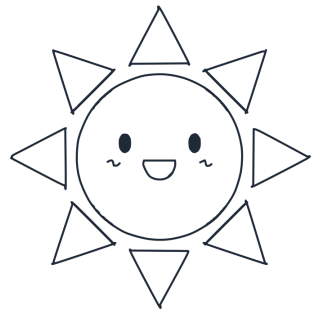

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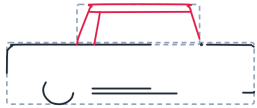

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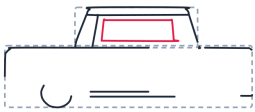

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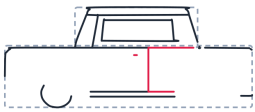

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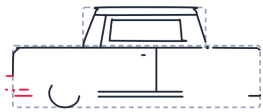

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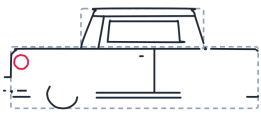

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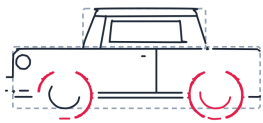

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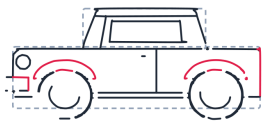

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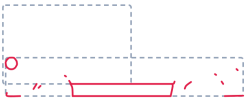

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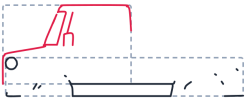

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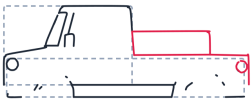

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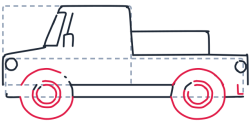

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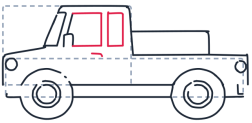

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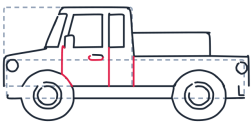

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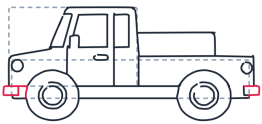

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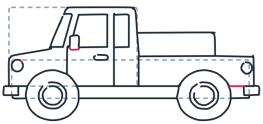

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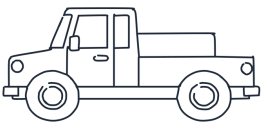

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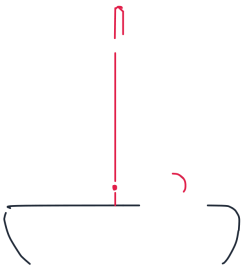

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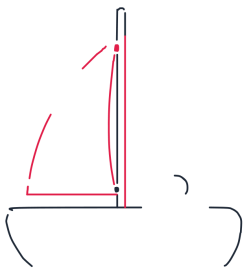

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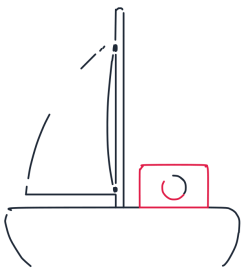

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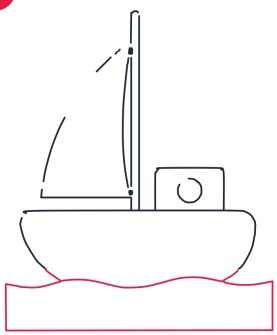

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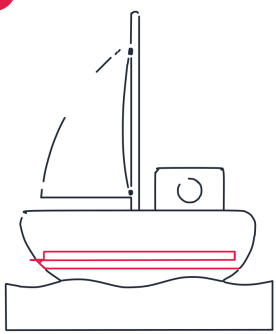

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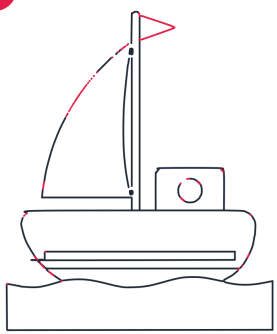

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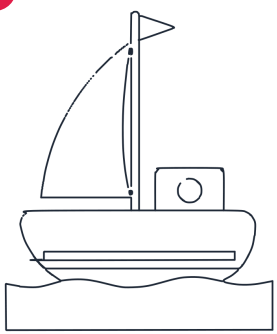

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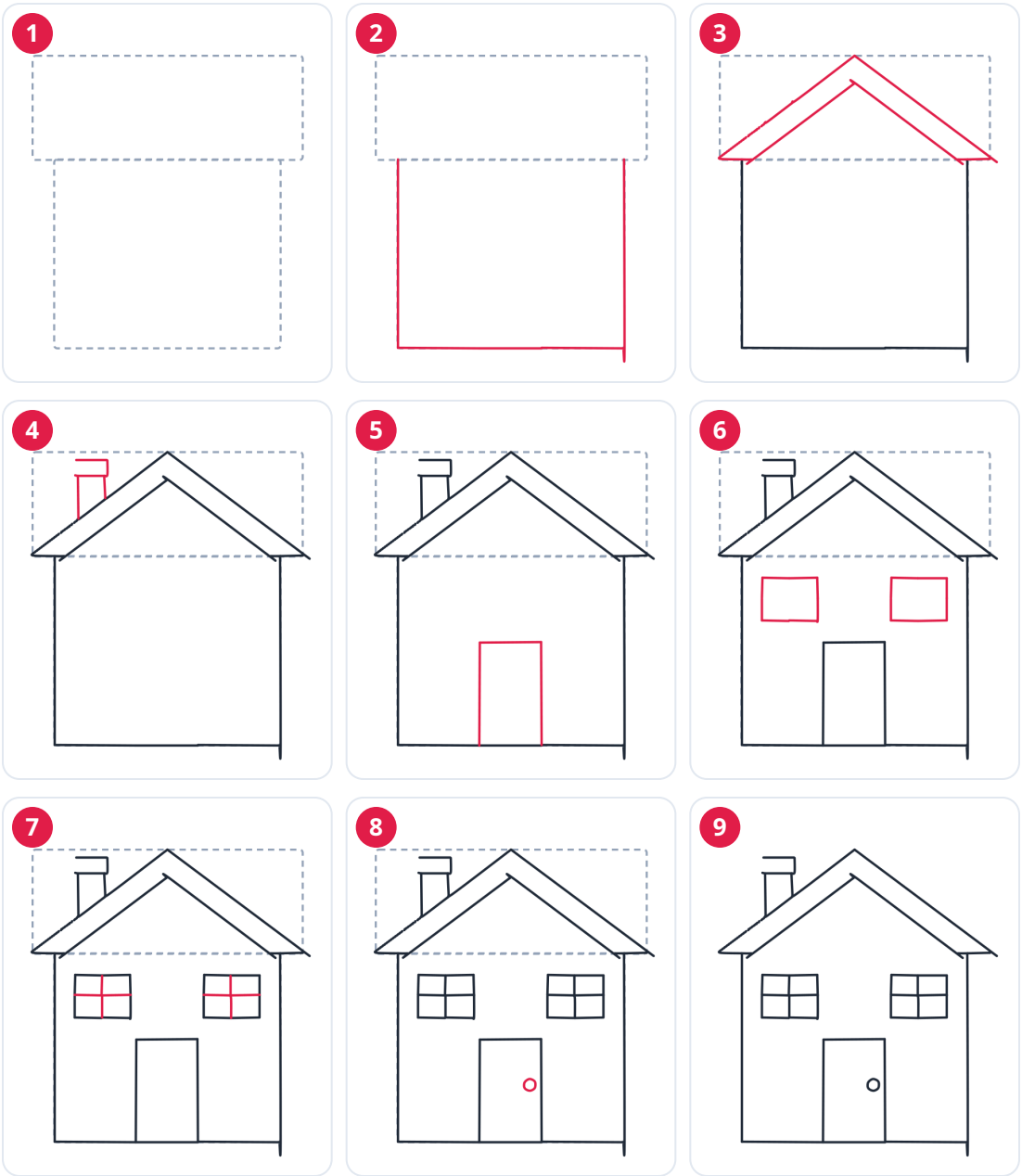

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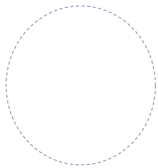

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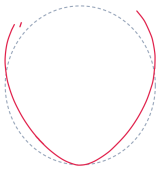

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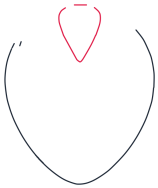

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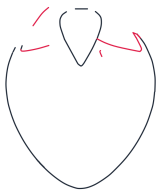

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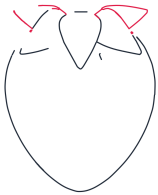

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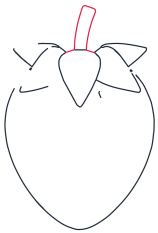

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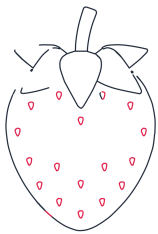

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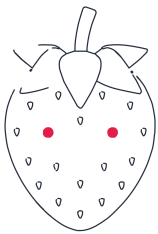

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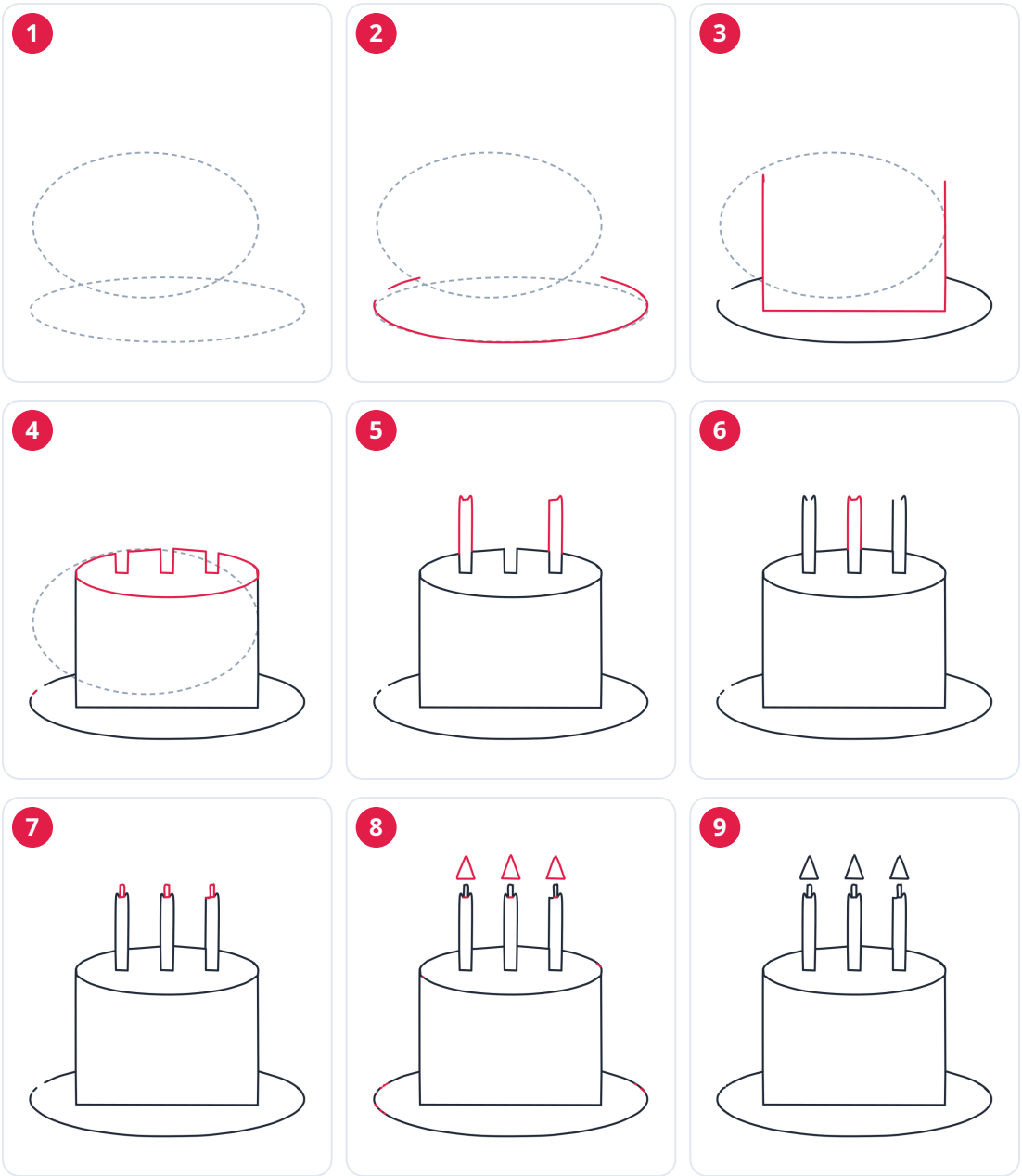

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